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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re : Edward A. Loth Atty Docket : 40045-03 US
Serial No.: 10/506,922 Examining Atty: Leo T. Hinze
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Title: WATCH COMPRISING A SOLAR TIME DISPLAY

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE TO ELECTION
REQUIREMENT UNDER 35 USC §121

Dear Sir:

The following is in response to the election requirement set forth in the Office Action of 6/27/2006:

REMARKS

The office action identifies three independent or distinct species that are claimed in the present application and requires that Applicant elect a single disclosed species for prosecution on the merits to which the claims shall be restricted if no generic claim is finally held to be allowable. The three species identified in the action are:

- 1) The embodiment of Figure 1; and
- 2) the embodiment of Figure 4; and
- 2) the embodiment of Figure 5.